UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

JUAN ORTEGA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 1:22-cv-00939 (RA)

SERENDIPITY BRANDS LLC,

Defendant.

[PROPOSED] ORDER

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2022, Defendant Serendipity Brands LLC filed a letter motion requesting through July 18, 2022 to answer, move, or otherwise respond to the Complaint. The Court, having reviewed the letter motion, HEREBY GRANTS Defendant's request and ORDERS as follows:

The time for Defendant Serendipity Brands LLC to answer, move, or otherwise respond to the Complaint is extended through **July 18, 2022**;

The parties have through <u>August 4, 202</u>2 to submit a joint letter requesting that the Court either (1) refer the case to mediation or magistrate judge (and indicate a preference between the two options), or (2) schedule an initial status conference in the matter (per the Court's February 7, 2022 Order, ECF 5).

Dated this <u>17th</u> day of June, 2022

The Honorable Ronnie Abrams United States District Judge